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Conference and support services extended to the Counter-Terrorism Committee in the implementation of Security Council resolution 1373 (2001)

The General Assembly,

Recalling Security Council resolution 1373 (2001) of 28 September 2001,

Reaffirming its resolutions 41/213 of 19 December 1986 and 42/211 of 21 December 1987,

Reaffirming also its resolutions 55/232 of 23 December 2000, 56/242 and 56/253 of 24 December 2001,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on conference and support services extended to the Counter-Terrorism Committee in implementation of Security Council resolution 1373 (2001)[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;[2]

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to ensure the provision of conference and support services to the Counter-Terrorism Committee, without adversely affecting other conference services;

3. *Invites* the Security Council to ensure that the proceedings of the Counter-Terrorism Committee and other subsidiary bodies of the Council that require conference servicing are conducted with due regard to the most efficient use of conference-servicing resources;

[1] A/C.5/56/42.
[2] A/56/7/Add.11.

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4. *Also invites* the Security Council to consider the merits of establishing appropriate guidelines for, inter alia, the format and, to the extent feasible and acceptable, the volume of communications that all States are requested to submit for consideration by the Counter-Terrorism Committee;

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at the main part of its fifty-seventh session on the expenditures as well as programmatic impacts incurred in supporting the Counter-Terrorism Committee as a result of the present resolution;

6. *Decides* to consider further requirements necessary for conference and support servicing of the Counter-Terrorism Committee in the context of the first performance report at its fifty-seventh session.